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In re Application of : Examiner: Navneet K. Khaira
Edward G. Hanell : Group Art Unit #3754
Serial No. 10/619,903 : Attorney Docket #10386
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AMENDMENT "A"

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed October 6, 2005 , please amend the above-identified Application as follows and consider the subsequent remarks.

This Amendment "A" has been prepared under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.121 (as amended) and effective as of July 30, 2003.



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FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)
0.00**Complete If Known**

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
20	- 20 or HP = 0	x \$25.00	= \$0.00			

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)		
3	- 3 or HP = 0	x \$100.	= \$0.00		

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

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4. OTHER FEE(S)

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Fees Paid (\$)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): _____

SUBMITTED BY

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